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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
David H. Palmer) Group Art Unit:
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Serial No. 10/666,173)
) Examiner:
Filed: September 19, 2003)
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For: ELONGATE RECEIVER TUBE AND) Attorney Docket 1-37091
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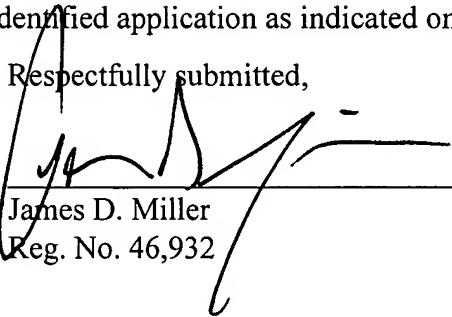
Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

Please reconsider the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,


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